

BERNAT HANDICRAFTER STRIPES BAG TO CROCHET

MEASUREMENTS

 $9 \times 12 \times 3\frac{1}{2} \text{ ins } [23 \times 30.5 \times 9 \text{ cm}].$

MATERIALS

Bernat[®] **Handicrafter**[®] **Stripes** (280 g / 9.8 oz) **1 ball** of #21732 (Pinky Stripes).

Size 5 mm (U.S. H or 8) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** 4 grommets.

GAUGE

12 sc and 13 rows = 4 ins [10 cm].

INSTRUCTIONS

Front and Back (make alike). Ch 28.

1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch to end of ch. Turn. 27 sc. Work in sc for 11 ins [28 cm].

Next row: (Eyelet row). Ch 1. (1 sc in each of next 6 sc. Ch 1. Miss next sc. 1 sc in each of next 6 sc) twice. Turn.

Work 2 rows in sc. Fasten off. Apply grommets in eyelets.

Gusset: Ch 12.

1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch to end of ch. Turn. 11 sc. Work in sc for 33 ins [84 cm]. Fasten off.

With WS tog, crochet Gusset to sides and bottom of Front and Back.

Handles: Ch 5. Join with sl st in first ch.

1st rnd: (RS). Ch 1. 1 sc in each ch around. 5 sc. Place marker for end of rnd and slip marker every rnd.

Work in sc for 16 ins [40.5 cm]. Fasten off. Thread handles through grommets and knot ends.

